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GROUP III NITRIDE SEMICONDUCTOR SUBSTRATE  
AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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May 25, 2006

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of January 30, 2006 for one month to May 30, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

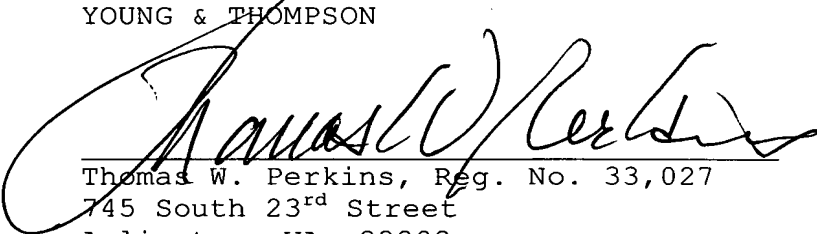
A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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